



SOUTH AUSTRALIAN MONTHLY STATISTICS.

FEBRUARY, 1940.

Particulars		1940	1939
VITAL - Births	No.	833	793
Deaths	No.	398	389
Marriages	No.	373	432
Infantile Deaths	No.	29	22
BUILDING PERMITS - Metropolitan			
Dwellings	No.	163	115
	£	109,399	81,914
Other Buildings	No.	8	23
	£	23,355	10,796
Additions, &c.	No.	190	218
	£	34,402	18,349
Government	£	4,811	37,223
	Total Value	£	171,967
			148,282
EMPLOYMENT - Factories Employment (1929-30 = 100)	Index No.	139	139
Labor Exchange-Registered end month	No.	5,946	6,300
STATE FINANCE - Revenue	£	1,121,000	1,105,000
Expenditure	£	876,000	802,000
BANKING - Clearings - Weekly Average	£	4,124,081	3,155,312
Savings Bank Deposits	£	27,242,331	26,981,791
GENERAL FINANCE - Bankrupts, Schemes, &c.	No.	56	66
Assets	£	87,664	186,493
Liabilities	£	107,869	305,505
Real Estate-Mortgages-			
Loans	£	725,967	436,540
Discharges	£	321,797	279,332
Land Transferred	£	553,300	644,900
SALES TAX - Approx. Sales-Taxable Goods	£	1,062,553	975,340
Exempt "	£	2,107,531	1,562,280
	Total	£	3,170,084
			2,537,620
DIRECT OVERSEA TRADE - Imports	£stg.	875,352	526,576
Exports	£stg.	900,000	879,000
Excess Exports	£stg.	24,648	352,424
MOTOR REGISTRATIONS-New Vehicles-Cars	No.	400	493
Commercial	No.	133	194
Cycles	No.	48	82

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BUILDING PERMITS (Metrop. Area)	Actual Buildings	Value	Dwelling Units
Flats	1	3,000	4
Maisonettes, etc.	31	26,740	62
Ordinary Dwellings	97	79,659	97
Hotels, Boarding Houses, etc.	-	-	-
Other New Buildings	8	23,355	
Additions and Alterations	188	33,302	
2 old houses conv. into 5 flats	2	1,100	
Total (ex. Govt.)	327	167,156	
Government Buildings		4,811	
GRAND TOTAL		171,967	

BANK CLEARINGS. Weekly Average £4,124,081

GOLD PRODUCTION. January - 80 fine oz. February - 161 fine oz.

MOTOR REGISTRATIONS.	Cars	Lorries &c.	Buses	Cycles
Vehicles on Register at end of January	59,416	25,516	340	9,542
Registrations expired on January 31st	3,096	1,276	10	765
Vehicles on Register at beginning of February	56,320	24,240	330	8,777
Registrations-New Vehicles	400	132	1	48
Old Vehicles	1,140	395	-	487
Registration of lapsed Licences	2,732	1,150	7	575
	60,592	25,917	338	9,887
Cancellations	1,006	287	1	254
Registered end of February	<u>59,586</u>	<u>25,630</u>	<u>337</u>	<u>9,633</u>

Registered end of March

RAILWAYS. (January).

RAILWAYS. (February)	Gross Revenue	£	248,406
	Working Expenses	£	241,257
	Train Miles Run	No.	481,161
	Passengers	No.	1,536,659
	Goods & Livestock	Tons	191,085
	Passenger Mileage	No.	18,270,192
	Gross Ton Mileage -	Tons	
	Passenger		38,502,639
	Freight		59,216,716
	Mixed		6,459,971
	Departmental		1,956,028
			<u>106,135,354</u>
	Net Ton Mileage		<u>21,944,100</u>

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